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Heinrich Huber, Communist trade union representative at the USIA-controlled Waagner-Biro plant in Vienna, and Hugo Brainin, Waagner-Biro official responsible for Communist press matters, have stated that the Austrian Communist Party (KPOe) plans wide-scale strikes for October 1952. The strikes will reportedly be timed to coincide with demands for a new wage-price agreement. Communist workers in several trades, including the metal workers' industry, will press at that time for a wage increase of one schilling per hour.

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